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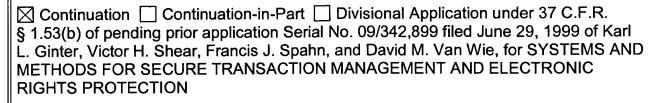
InterTrust Ref. No.: 5.2.1 (US)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Washington, D.C. 20231

Prior Application Examiner: G. Barron, Jr. Prior Application Art Unit: 2768

SIR: This is a request for filing a



- Enclosed is a complete copy of the prior application, including the 1. \bowtie drawings but without the Oath or Declaration. I hereby verify that the attached papers are a true copy of prior application Serial No. 09/342,899 as originally filed on June 29, 1999, which is incorporated herein by reference.
- 2. Enclosed is a substitute specification under 37 C.F.R. § 1.125.
- 3. Enclosed is a Request for Non-Publication of Application and Certification Under 35 U.S.C. § 1.22(b)(2)(B)(i).
- Cancel Claims 1-90. 冈
- 5. A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
- 6. M The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the claims existing in the prior application as amended at 4 and 5 above.

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Basic Application Fili	\$710	\$ \$710.00				
	Number of Claims		Basic	Extra Claims		
Total Claims	38	-	20	18	x \$18	\$ 324.00
Independent Claims	6	-	3	3	x \$80	\$ 240.00
TOTAL APPLICATION FILING FEE						\$ 1,274.00

		
8.	\boxtimes	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required including fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 and any other fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17, or credit any overpayment during the pendency of this application to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.
9.	\boxtimes	Amend the specification by inserting before the first line, the following new paragraph:

J.E. papers/A

This is a \boxtimes continuation \square division of application Serial No. 09/342,899, filed June 29, 1999, which is a continuation of application Serial No. 08/780,545 filed January 8, 1997 (now U.S. Pat. No. 5,917,912), which is a divisional of application Serial No. 08/388,107, filed February 13, 1995 (now abandoned), all of which are incorporated herein by reference.

10. New formal drawings are enclosed.

- 12. Priority of application Serial No. [Text], filed on [Text] in [Country] is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119. A certified copy

 is enclosed or is on file in the prior application.
- 13. A verified statement claiming small entity status

 is enclosed or is on file in the prior application.
- 14. The power of attorney in the prior application is to at least one of the following: FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW, GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P., Douglas B. Henderson, Reg. No. 20,291; Ford F. Farabow, Jr., Reg. No. 20,630; Arthur S. Garrett, Reg. No. 20,338;

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The power appears in the original declaration of the prior application.
Since the power does not appear in the original declaration, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.

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18.	\boxtimes	Recognize as associațe at	torney Linda J. Thayer, Reg. No. 45,681			
19.		Also enclosed is				
PETITION FOR EXTENSION. If any extension of time is necessary for the filing of this application, including any extension in the parent application, serial no. 09/342,899, filed June 29, 1999, for the purpose of maintaining copendency between the parent application and this application, and such extension has not otherwise been requested, such an extension is hereby requested, and the Commissioner is authorized to charge necessary fees for such an extension to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed for use in charging the deposit account.						
			Respectfully submitted,			
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Dated	: May 3	31, 2001	By: Linday. Thayer Reg. No. 45,681			